Construction of a road along the bank of the Nelaparai channel.

117. **MR. D. C. JOSEPH** (*Agastisvaram*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they are aware of the necessity for converting the left or right bank of the Nelaparai channel into a cart road to relieve the distress of the ryots; and

(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the affirmative, what steps have been taken in the matter?

MR. T. K. MADHAVAN NAYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The subject was discussed in the District Road Board, Nagercoil, and the work will be taken up for consideration by Government in the order of urgency that may be assigned to it by the Central Board

Undergraduate Teachers who passed the B. A. Degree Examination while in service.

118. **MR. REVATI NAL RAMA VARMA RAJA** (*Edavagai*): Will the Government be pleased to state;

(*a*) the number of undergraduate teachers who have graduated while they are in service with the dates of their graduation;

(*b*) whether any of them has taken the L. T. degree;

(*c*) their present (28-3-1106) pay; and

(*d*) whether any fresh graduates have been appointed after they have become graduates?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*). A statement * furnishing the information asked for is laid on the table.

(*d*) Yes.

Appointment of Tahsildars.

119. **MR. S. PIRAVIPERUMAL PILLAI** (*Commerce and Industry, South*): With reference to the statement, by caste, of the Tahsildars in the State brought up to 1st July 1929 (page 1085 of the Legislative Council Proceedings, Vol. XV) will the Government be pleased to state why no Vellala has been appointed?

MR. C. O. MADHAVAN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): A Vellala has been appointed Ag. Tahsildar, from 1-12-1105, when his turn for promotion came.

Waiting sheds in Sub-Registrars' offices.

120. **MR. S. PIRAVIPERUMAL PILLAI** (*Commerce and Industry, South*): With reference to the answer to Question No. 103, asked at the meeting of the Council held on the 6th December 1927, (page 350 of Vol. XII of the Legislative Council Proceedings), *re* the grievance of the public on account of the want of waiting sheds in Sub-Registrars' offices, will the Government be pleased to state at what stage the question is at present (20-11-1930)?

* *Vide* Appendix XVI-pages 449 and 450.

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